

Connecticut Democrats

New Haven, Conn., April 28.—Leading democrats of Connecticut have gathered in this city in readiness for the state convention, which will hold a preliminary organization. Tomorrow morning the convention will reassemble to choose fourteen delegates to represent Connecticut at the Denver convention.

Alexander Throp and other recognized leaders of the Bryan element are busy in behalf of the Nebraskan's candidacy for the presidential nomination. Though Mr. Bryan has a stronger following in Connecticut than in any other part of New England, it is not regarded as probable that the state convention will instruct for him. The indications are that the Connecticut delegation will contain men pledged to Mr. Bryan and others who go unpledged, according to the sentiment of their home districts.

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"DON'T YOUSAY A WORD ABOUT THAT LIQUOR"

This Was the Warning Given By An Attorney to His Client When the Latter's Constitutional Rights While On the Witness Stand Were About to Be Violated.

The recorder's court this morning presented a most business like scene. There were lawyers, witnesses, defendants and spectators galore, and during the long session from 9 to 12 o'clock, there were many little tilts between counsel which broke the monotony. When Col. Kirkpatrick warned his client not to "tell" and Col. Jake Newell administered cough drops to his client so she could talk, there was laughter, which could not be suppressed.

A man's constitutional rights when on the witness stand came in for a "stent" argument when Col. T. L. Kirkpatrick was attempting to keep his client from testifying in a case in which his client might tell something to prejudice him in the upper court.

"How many lawyers are in this case?" asked the recorder when the colonel was warning his client's constitutional rights.

"The only lawyer in this case is I," answered Mr. Shannonhouse, who was looking after the interests of the defendant then on trial.

"I am not in this case," answered Col. Kirkpatrick, "but I am going to look after the interest of my man, who is on the stand, and I am going to be the judge of his rights."

"The witness is the only judge of his rights," Mr. Shannonhouse came back, "but you can warn him about not answering certain questions, which he thinks may incriminate him."

Col. Kirkpatrick then put his warning in a very clear way when he said: "Now, John (talking to his client), don't you tell one thing about this liquor. Keep your mouth shut about that."

The court had to rap for order, so great was the laughter at the colonel's direct methods of warning his client.

John Hall, a negro boy, the witness whose constitutional rights were so ably defended as above stated, was tried and bound over in two cases for retailing.

The evidence of the prosecution was that May T. Uley, a white woman of a disreputable character, who has just returned from a year's stay in the penitentiary, was last night, touring the city in the carriage of Bob Sutton, the contorted yellow faced negro hackman, and that she gave Sutton fifty cents to buy liquor. Sutton then got May T. Patterson, another negro, to go after it, and he found John Hall, and then John Hall alleged that he got another negro to get it, and so the chain of go-between lengthened. Hall was bound over as being the last link in the chain.

After this case was disposed of, Sutton was tried for disorderly conduct. It was charged that at a late hour of the night he was found at the corner of East Avenue and Davidson street with May Uley and Will Patterson in his carriage, and that they were drinking. Mr. Shannonhouse appeared for Sutton, and contended that the moral question should not be considered, but that Sutton was not guilty, as he had not committed an unlawful act in hauling the white woman and the negro about the city if they were not disturbing the peace and quiet of the community.

Sutton was found guilty and fined \$5 and the costs. Mr. Shannonhouse gave notice of appeal on the ground that a verdict of guilty would give the chief of police the right to take away his client's license as a hackman, and there was no evidence to convict.

Mary Clifton, a negro woman, who lives on Tenth street, was charged with keeping a disorderly house, and for being a vagrant.

Various witnesses swore that they had seen white men going into the woman's house at all hours of the day and night, and the officers making the arrest testified that when they went there a white man was then in the house, and was drunk.

Mr. H. N. Pharr appeared for the woman, and contended that there was no evidence of disorder nor vagrancy, and the defendant was dismissed.

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Columbia, S. C., April 28.—About 125 delegates, the great majority of them negroes, assembled here tonight for the state convention of the Union Republican party of South Carolina. The convention is to name delegates-at-large and alternates to go to Chicago.

Chairman Edmund H. Deas of the state committee is an anti-administration man and is supposed to favor a Foraker or Hughes delegation and is believed to be willing to go as far as supporting a resolution condemning President Roosevelt for the Brownsville affair.

The influence of Capt. John G. Capers, United States commissioner of internal revenue and republican national committeeman from South Carolina, is expected, however, to prevail against any attempt on the part of the convention to condemn the president.

There is also a considerable faction among the negroes who are opposed to Deas and in favor of endorsing Secretary Taft.

It is possible that a compromise will be reached by sending an untrusted delegation to the national convention.

Mississippi Republicans.
Jackson, Miss., April 28.—Republicans of Mississippi met in state convention in this city today to name delegates to the national convention. The administration followers have the upper hand and will put through resolutions endorsing President Roosevelt and Secretary Taft in spite of the objection of a small but active minority that is understood to favor Foraker.

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